



QUABBIN DEER HUNT PERMITS DRAWN

Winning numbers for the 2018 Quabbin Controlled Deer Hunt were drawn on September 12th in a special lottery at the Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) Quabbin Administration Building in Belchertown.

The two segments being hunted in 2018 are Petersham and Hardwick. The following numbers were drawn in the lottery for Customer ID #'s ending in: 07, 08, 15, 27, 28, 40, 47, 51, 60, 62, 77, 79, 81, 83, 87, 97, 98.

[Selected hunters listed by Customer ID number](#)

A total of 458 permits were selected from an applicant pool of 850 eligible people. All selected applicants were chosen to hunt one of the two Quabbin segments based on the preference choice on their application. Hunters were required to apply in groups, with a minimum of two and a maximum of six hunters per application. The selection process issued permits based upon the last digits of all customer ID #'s listed on the application. If a customer ID # was selected, all hunters on the application received permits for that segment. Once selected, hunters were then removed from the pool of applicants. Hunters ranked the segments by preference and the selection process assigned the segment based on these choices.

The Quabbin Controlled Deer Hunt is an annual event conducted on Quabbin Reservoir watershed lands, implemented as part of the management program to maintain a balance between deer herd densities and forest regeneration.

All successful applicants will receive written notification from the DCR by mid-October. For further information, please contact the Quabbin Visitor Center at (413) 323-7221.

